

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA
Norfolk Division**

**R.M.S. TITANIC, INC.,
successor-in-interest to
Titanic Ventures, limited partnership,
Plaintiff,**

v.

Civil Action No. 2:93cv902

**THE WRECKED AND ABANDONED VESSEL,
ITS ENGINES, TACKLE, APPAREL,
APPURTENANCES, CARGO, ETC., LOCATED
WITHIN ONE (1) NAUTICAL MILE OF A POINT
LOCATED AT 41 43' 32" NORTH LATITUDE
AND 49 56' 49" WEST LONGITUDE,
BELIEVED TO BE THE R.M.S. TITANIC
in rem,
Defendant.**

STATUS REPORT

The United States, as *amicus*, and on behalf of its National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration ("NOAA"), and pursuant to 84 Fed. Reg. 38012, provides the following status update.

On July 2, 2020, NOAA advised this Court of a potential expedition this summer to *Titanic* by SEARCH, Inc./SEARCH20, Ocean Infinity, Stantec, and Terra Mare Conservation (collectively "SEARCH"). *See* ECF No. 636; *see also* ECF Nos. 642-1 and 643. On July 29, 2020, SEARCH advised NOAA that it had cancelled its 2020 expedition due to logistical issues relating to COVID-19.

Respectfully submitted,

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